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May 6, 2020

The Honorable Margie Bright Matthews

PO Box 499

Walterboro, SC 29488

Dear Senator Bright Matthews:

I am pleased to inform you that Conservation Voters of South Carolina (CVSC) has endorsed your re-election to the South Carolina Senate from District 45 because of your commitment to conservation and protecting our way of life in South Carolina.

Your support for conservation issues led to an outstanding 100% score on our 2018 Conservation Scorecard and a lifetime score of 100%. You have been a passionate and consistent voice for protecting the air, land, and water of South Carolina, and we cannot thank you enough.

From advancing clean energy and energy reform, to standing in firm opposition to offshore drilling, and standing up for the rights of citizens to a clean and healthy environment, you have been a clear conservation champion. Thank you!

For this and more, we want to see you return to Columbia to continue your leadership and work on these important issues, and we enthusiastically endorse you for re-election.

A key part of our mission is to let South Carolina voters know where elected officials and candidates stand on protecting our air, land and water and on creating a sustainable energy future. When the General Assembly convenes for the January 2021 session, citizens of South Carolina will be depending on you to protect the natural resources that fuel at least a third of our state's economy. We appreciate your willingness to work with us and consider our position when making your decisions on important conservation issues before the Senate.

You may use our endorsement in your campaign materials as well as on your website and social media pages. Working together, we can provide a clean and healthy South Carolina for future generations.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "John Tynan", is written over a light blue background.

John Tynan
Executive Director